

House Resolution No. 1061

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State educators who admirably ensure that students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, James Dunn of Kansas City, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as the Principal at Lakeview Middle School in the Park Hill School District of Platte County; and

Whereas, Principal James Dunn will enhance his already impressive record of achievement when he is presented with the Middle School Principal of the Year award from the Missouri Association of Secondary School Principals at that professional organization's spring conference in March 2007; and

Whereas, James Dunn brings to the position of Principal a wealth of expertise garnered from earlier employment as Assistant Principal at Raytown Middle School for three years, a counselor at a juvenile and adult facility for five years, and an English teacher for five years; and

Whereas, holder of a Bachelor's degree in psychology, James Dunn returned to college to become certificated in education and then in administration; and

Whereas, universally praised for his "hands-on approach" to leading his school, Principal James Dunn often can be found directing traffic after school dances, helping students find the right buses, and attending student performances; and

Whereas, James Dunn is justifiably proud also to be known as the beloved husband of Jackie and the loving father of fifteen-year-old Coby, eleven-year-old Nicholas, ten-year-old Paige, and eight-year-old Tyler:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional accomplishments garnered thus far in the career of educator James Dunn and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt congratulations upon being selected as the Middle School Principal of the Year by the Missouri Association of Secondary School Principals; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to James Dunn of Kansas City, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Jason Grill
District No. 32

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 1061, adopted March 8, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker